

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY BANGUI

TO AMEMBASSY PARIS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (BOKASSA, JEAN-BEDEL),PFOR

SUBJ: TRAVEL OF CAR PRESIDENT BOKASSA

1. WE ARE INFORMED CAR PRESIDENT BOKASSA PLANS TENTATIVELY TO VISIT FRANCE AROUND AUGUST 26. WE UNDERSTAND BOKASSA HOPES TO TRY AGAIN TO SEE PRESIDENT GISCARD D'ESTAING BUT REPORTEDLY NO APPOINTMENT YET CONFIRMED.

2. IF MEETING DEVELOPS BOKASSA EXPECTED SEEK ADDITIONAL FRENCH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND REPORTS HERE ARE THAT GOF LIKELY RAISE QUESTION OF REOPENING CONSULATE GENERAL BANGUI AND RECENT CAR NATIONALIZATIONS OF FRENCH FIRMS.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY MAY DEVELOP ON BOKASSA VISIT IF AND WHEN IT TAKES PLACE.  
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